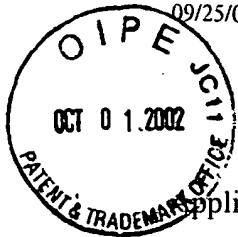


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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 26, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 10, 19, 25, 31 and 39. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action Made Final dated March 26, 2002 for three month(s) from June 26, 2002 to September 26, 2002.
2. A [] month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated [] was filed on [] with payment of a \$[] fee.
 Applicant hereby petitions for an additional [] month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.
3. A Request for Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is being filed concurrently herewith.

4. Fees are submitted for the following:

[X] Extension of Time for three month(s)	\$ <u>460</u>
[] Additional Extension of Time:	
Fee for Extension ([] mo.)	\$ _____
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[X] Notice of Appeal	\$ <u>160</u>
[] Other _____	\$ _____
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5. The method of payment for the total fees is as follows:

[X] A check in the amount of \$620.00 is enclosed.

[] Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 in the amount of \$[].

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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